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In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF:

Applicant(s) : Akio SEKIYA )  
Serial No. : 09/453,568 )  
Filed : December 2, 1999 )  
For : COMPUTING METHOD FOR )  
ACCOUNTING )  
Attorney Ref. : HAG 114 )

AMENDMENT

March 28, 2003

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted with the Applicant's Request for Continued Examination pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.114(a). Please amend the above referenced application as follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please replace the drawings originally submitted with the application in Japanese (17 sheets) with the translated drawings attached hereto as Appendix 2 (17 sheets).

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